

ACCREDITATION



LOUISVILLE METRO POLICE DEPARTMENT

The Louisville Metro Police Department was awarded state accreditation by the Kentucky Association of Chiefs of Police (KACP) in August 2008. The Kentucky Association of Chiefs of Police was formed in 1971 to secure official and personal cooperation among law enforcement executives and the citizens of Kentucky.

This is good news for the agency and for the citizens of Louisville. The accreditation program gives the department the tools necessary to ensure that all policies and procedures conform to the most up-to-date professional law enforcement standards. KACP is not mandatory, but it does reflect the willingness to demonstrate professional excellence to the community.

Accreditation is intended to provide law enforcement agencies with a way to demonstrate that they meet best practices, maintain integrity and conform to high risk and high liability standards for efficient and effective operations. KACP requires that each agency be reaccredited every 5 years.

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